

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
HOUSTON DIVISION**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

Plaintiff,

v.

**DARVI HINOJOSA ET AL.,**

Defendants.

**Case No. 24-00543-01/02-CR-H-EW**

**NOTICE OF RELATED CASES**

The United States of America, by and through its undersigned counsel, hereby notifies the Court that the above-captioned case is related to *United States v. Stephen Alms*, Case No. 24-00474-01-CR-H-EW, which is currently pending before the Honorable Ewing Werlein, Jr., Judge of United States District Court, Southern District of Texas. The charges in these indictments overlap and share similar legal and factual issues.

WHEREFORE, the United States respectfully requests that this case be assigned to the Honorable Ewing Werlein, Jr., the district court judge who has the lowest-numbered or first-filed of these related cases, thereby promoting judicial economy.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing was delivered on October 29, 2024, to the CM-ECF system of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas for electronic delivery to all counsel of record.

  
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